

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)

Austin City Council	Item ID:	11162	Agenda Number	30.
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Meeting Date:	December 15, 2011
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Department:	Purchasing
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Subject

Authorize award, negotiation, and execution of a contract with SIEMENS INDUSTRY, INC, DFW Airport, TX for the purchase of fault tolerant servers and software, and maintenance services for the Austin-Bergstrom International Airport, in an amount not to exceed \$292,635. Siemens Industry, Inc. is the sole source provider for these services.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Capital Budget of the Aviation Department.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is attached.

Purchasing Language:	Sole Source.
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Prior Council Action:	To be reviewed by the Airport Advisory Commission on December 13, 2011.
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For More Information:	Brenda Helgren, Sr. Buyer/974-9141
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Boards and Commission Action:	
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MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9D of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.
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Related Items:	
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Additional Backup Information

This contract is for the purchase of fault tolerant servers and software, and maintenance services for the Austin-Bergstrom International Airport (ABIA). The scope of work includes the replacement of fault tolerant servers for the ABIA Terminal Baggage Handling System Control Room that are obsolete and identified as end-of-life (EOL).

The work associated with this purchase is a part of the proprietary software system that controls the ABIA baggage handling system. The sole source purchase is required to maintain system integrity and the continuance of service and warranty for the entire system.

The original equipment is NEC and was installed by Siemens; bus replacement parts are no longer available. The proposed work is a part of the Siemens proprietary software system that controls ABIA baggage handling. Specific items related to the deployment include: four (4) HP DL-380 GL Graphics and Sort Controller Servers, one (1) HP Universal Rack 10642 G2 42U, MS Windows Server 2008 Edition, MS SQL Server 2008 R2, Siemens Wincc 7.0 Client, Siemens Wincc 7.0 web navigator 10 client access license, Endpoint Protection 11, Marathon everRun MX Enterprise, GEFanuc Suite Upgrade, Acronis Backup and Recovery 11 with universal restore, installation, integration with existing system, testing, and on-site training.